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FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES PRIORITY
AMEMBASSY BRASILIA
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AMEMBASSY LA PAZ
AMEMBASSY QUITO
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C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 007516

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, PINT, PE, CH, AR

SUBJECT: ARGENTINE CONCERN OVER "WAR SCARE IN ANDES"

REF: A) 76 STATE 314123; B) CURRENT FOREIGN RELATIONS NO.
52, 1/5/77; C) 76 LIMA 11343; D) 76 BUENOS AIRES 8038

1. JANUARY 5, GUSTAVO URRUTIA, FIRST SECRETARY, ARGENTINE
EMBASSY, WASHINGTON, REQUESTED BRIEFING BY PERU DESK ON WAR
SCARE IN THE ANDES. SAID HE WAS ACTING UNDER INSTRUCTIONS
FROM BUENOS AIRES. WAS APPROPRIATELY BRIEFED ALONG LINES
REF A AND B.

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2. AS ONE OF BASES FOR ARGENTINE CONCERN RE WAR IN ANDES,
URRUTIA SPOKE BRIEFLY OF CLOSE RELATIONS BETWEEN ARGENTINA
AND PERU.

3. ALSO EXHIBITED INTEREST IN REACTION OF BRAZIL TO ANDEAN
SITUATION. DEPTOFF GAVE ONLY U.S. VIEW, DID NOT PRESUME TO

SPECULATE ON BRAZILIAN VIEW.

4. URRUTIA APPARENTLY HAD NOT BEEN GIVEN BY HIS FOREIGN
MINISTRY SUBSTANCE OF DISCUSSION BY THEM ON SITUATION WITH
AMERICAN EMBASSY BUENOS AIRES (REFS C AND D). SAID HE MAY
BE IN FURTHER CONTACT WITH PERU DESK HERE, FOLLOWING RECEIPT

OF FEEDBACK ON REPORT HE WAS TO SUBMIT TO BUENOS AIRES.

5. WE THINK IT PREFERABLE THAT YOU AVOID TO THE EXTENT
POSSIBLE FURTHER DISCUSSION WITH THE GOA ON THIS SUBJECT
UNTIL WE HAVE HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO EXAMINE IN DEPTH
THE FULL RANGE OF ISSUES AND ALTERNATIVES INVOLVED
IN THIS COMPLEX PROBLEM. THE CONSTRUCTIVE IDEAS AND
PERCEPTIVE INSIGHTS FURNISHED BY THE ADDRESSEE POSTS
OVER THESE PAST DAYS WILL BE MOST HELPFUL IN THAT
CONTEXT.
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